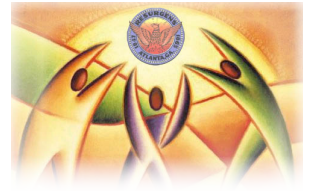




# City of Atlanta Partnering for Progress Vendor Expo



The City of Atlanta Department of Watershed Management (DWM), in conjunction with the Mayor's Office of Contract Compliance and the Department of Procurement, is hosting the Second Annual Partnering for Progress Vendor Expo. The Vendor Expo is designed to educate small, female and minority business owners on how to do business with the City of Atlanta and other local government agencies.

Representatives from DWM, Contract Compliance, Procurement and other government agencies will lead sessions on how to obtain a Georgia Contracting License, provide information on upcoming solicitation opportunities and doing business with the City.

*featuring*  
**Cassius Butts**  
*Keynote Speaker*



Cassius Butts, Small Business Administration Regional Administrator, will be the keynote speaker. Cassius was appointed by President Barack Obama in 2011. He is responsible for delivery of SBA programs in Alabama, Florida, Georgia, Kentucky, Mississippi, North Carolina, South Carolina and Tennessee. During his appointment, Cassius has managed oversight of two record-breaking years for SBA Lending in Region IV; nearly \$8 billion in SBA-backed loans within the aforementioned eight states.

*Where:*

**The Boisfeuillet Jones Atlanta Civic Center  
395 Piedmont Ave. NE, Atlanta, GA 30308**

*When:*

**Thursday, February 6, 2014  
8:00am to 5:00pm**

*Registration  
Fee:*

**\$25 in Advance (closes at 5pm on  
Wednesday, February, 5 2014);  
\$35 at the door**

*Online*

*Registration:*

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